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[1] CRIME REPORT

INCIDENT REPORT

[] WARRANT

CASE NUMBER
18-00001512.000

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7 - PC600 Battery on a Service Dog

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10 - INVESTIGATION:

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13 - On 10/10/18 at approximately 0500 hours, TCSO dispatch requested a police K9 at 21729

14 - Avenue 196 for a subject under a trailer wanted for a Felony warrant. TCSO advised

15 - that the subject was hiding under the trailer and was not complying with commands to

16 - come out. TCSO requested the use of my police k9 partner Kris at their location.

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19 - I responded to the requested location and met with TCSO Sgt. Benas who advised me

20 - that they had visual on the wanted subject under the trailer. The wanted subject was

21 - identified as LANGSTON, Joseph. Sgt. Benas advised me that they had just attempted to

22 - use pepper balls on LANGSTON but it was not effective.

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26 - I approached the trailer and knelt down and observed where LANGSTON was hiding. I

27 - advised LANGSTON that he needed to come out and if he did not then I would send in my

28 - police K9 and he would be bit. LANGSTON stated he was not coming out and if I sent my

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29 - dog in he would fight the dog. I waited a few minutes and LANGSTON still did not

30 - crawl out from under the trailer.

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35 - I walked to my patrol vehicle and retrieved my K9 partner Kris. I returned to the

36 - trailer with with Kris and again gave an announcement. LANGSTON again stated that he

37 - was going to fight the dog. I had my K9 partner Kris on a 15 foot leash and released

38 - him. K9 Kris approached LANGSTON and as soon as he made contact I observed LANGSTON

39 - grab K9 Kris around the his neck area and begin to choke him. I yelled at LANGSTON to

40 - stop fighting my dog. LANGSTON continued to choke K9 Kris. Fearing that LANGSTON

41 - might choke K9 Kris unconscious, I yelled for K9 Kris to return to me at the same

42 - time I pulled on his leash. K9 Kris was unable to return due to LANGSTON choking him.

43 - I yelled for LANGSTON to let go of my dog several times before I was finally able to

44 - pull K9 Kris back to me. LANGSTON was given more orders to come out from underneath

45 - the trailer but he refused.

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49 - I again sent my K9 partner Kris on LANGSTON. Once Kris got to LANGSTON he again

50 - grabbed a hold of K9 Kris by the neck and began choking him and pinning his head down

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51 - in the dirt. I again called for Kris to return to me and for LANGSTON to let go of my
52 - dog. LANGSTON was saying for me to call my dog off. I began pulling on K9 Kris leash
53 - and yelled for him to return. K9 Kris was not able to return due to the hold that
54 - LANGSTON had on him. I yelled for LANGSTON to let Kris go while I pulled on Kris.
55 - LANGSTON released his hold on Kris and k9 Kris returned to me.

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59 - I let K9 Kris rest for a brief moment before sending him back in after LANGSTON. When
60 - I sent K9 Kris in this time, LANGSTON was able to get a hold of K9 Kris' mouth and he
61 - began to pull his mouth open. From my location it appeared as if LANGSTON was
62 - attempting to pull K9 Kris mouth apart. I yelled for LANGSTON to let go of my dog.
63 - LANGSTON did not comply with my commands. I pulled on K9 Kris leash and when I did
64 - his collar broke free from K9 Kris. I then heard Sgt. Benas tell one of his Deputies
65 - to deploy his taser on LANGSTON. I advised the Deputies that K9 Kris had broken
66 - free of his collar and that he was now free.

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70 - I observed as one of the deputies got on his stomach and deployed his taser on
71 - LANGSTON. Once the taser was deployed he let go of K9 Kris and K9 Kris was able to
72 - bite one of his arms. I then observed LANGSTON actively punching K9 Kris in the face

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73 - while K9 Kris was on the bite. I observed K9 Kris pulling LANGSTON to the south end

74 - of the trailer while LANGSTON was still punching him. I ran over to the south end of

75 - the trailer and I began to call K9 Kris back to me. K9 Kris was still actively biting

76 - and LANGSTON was still punching Kris in the face.

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81 - Once LANGSTON and Kris got close the end of the trailer, I crawled under and was able

82 - to get a hold of K9 Kris and pull him off the bite. LANGSTON was then taken into

83 - custody by TCSO. LANGSTON was then transported to Sierra View District Hospital for

84 - treatment. While at the Hospital, I was able to observed a few bite marks to

85 - LANGSTON's arms. The lacerations were cleaned out by the medical staff and the doctor

86 - advised that only one bite would need stitches. LANGSTON was left in the custody of

87 - TCSO.

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90 - RECOMMENDATIONS:

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93 - Refer a copy of this report to the District Attorney's Office for review and also

94 - refer a copy to TCSO Deputy Haro for his report.

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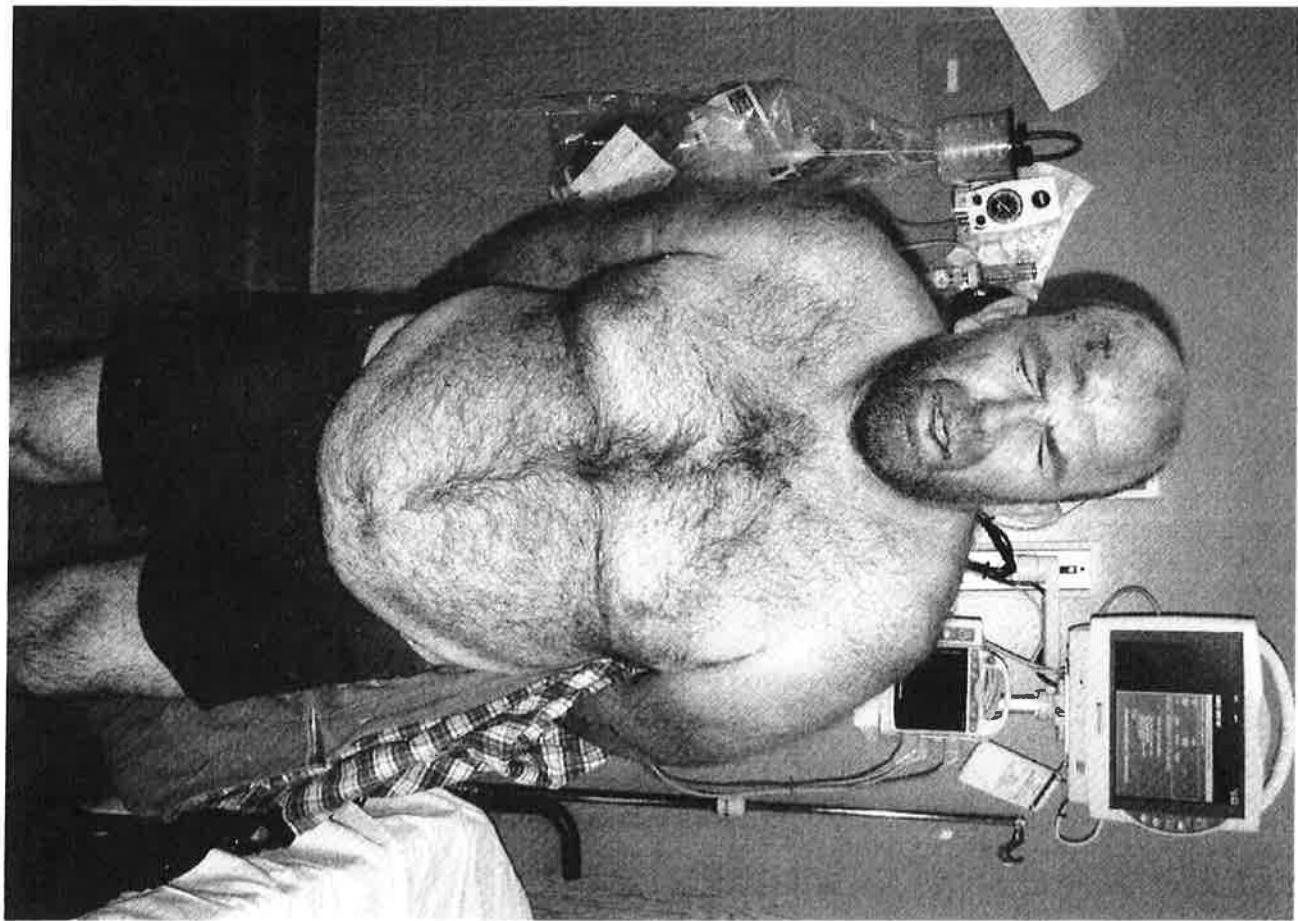
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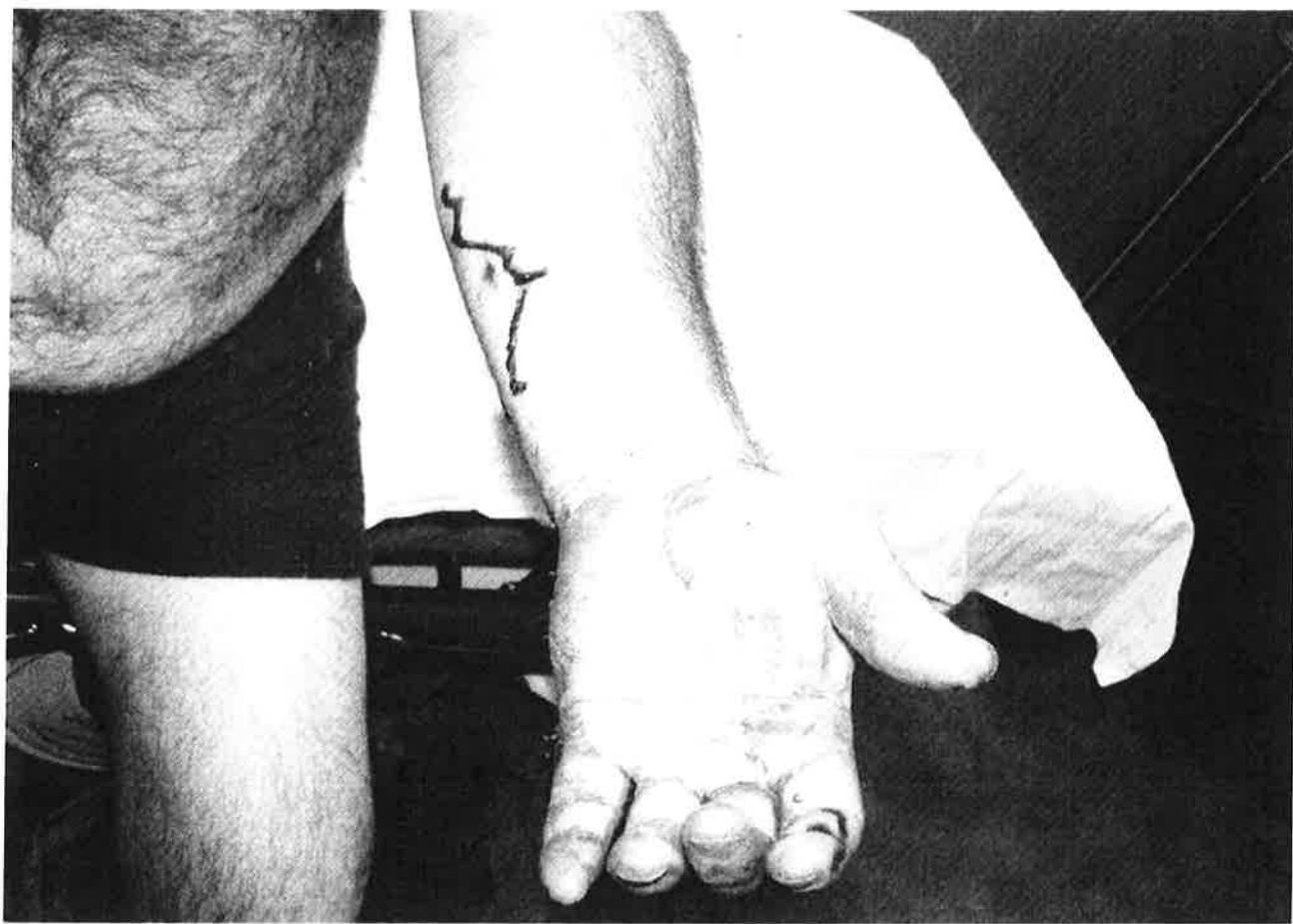
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Closed Incident Report

Incident Date/Time: 10/10/18 - 04:44:00 Incident Number: 000010
 Complaint Oper: L2391,DP011 How Reported: 5, (S)

Sheriff Inc? Y Date:10/10/18 Time:04:44:00 Dispatcher: H4616,DP012
 Fire Inc? Date:// Time:00:00:00 Dispatcher: ,

Sheriff Dist: 20AS Cm: CO,37 Um: 0020, Jurisdiction: 01
 Fire Dist: Cm: CO,37 Um: 0020, Jurisdiction:

Dispatch Addr: 21729 A196 AVE SM
 Incident Type: S-415V(VERBAL FIGHT)
 Callers Name: SVEN BJORKMAN T25 SIL WRANGLER
 License #:
 E-911 Address:
 E-911 Phone #: [REDACTED]
 Corrected Addr:0
 Entered As Intr: N Emergency Agencies:

S H E R I F F

Close Type: Y,6 Routing Stage: DP-011 Incident Type: 415V
 Begin Time: 043748 Pending Time: 044400 Recall Time: 000000
 Assign Time: 044726 Scene Time: 045507 Close Time: 000000
 Dispo Code: N 20A2 NO REPORT NUMBER Report Number: 181010-01000003
 18-0100013119
 181010-04000001
 18-0400001512

Disp Seq: 201400

Eqp-No	Sts	Aloc	AsCvn	Asgn-Dte	Tme	ER-tme	AS-Tme	Off-Id1	Off-Id2	Sft	Tran-Dte	Tme	Arvl-Dte	Tme	Avil-Dte	Tme
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20B2				181010	044726	045508	V9268				181010	053204	181010	054049	000000	B
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S48				181010	050210	050314	N3593				000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	D
2882				181010	045847	050751	E6399				000000	000000	000000	000000	000000	D

>JR< Jurisdiction = SM
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 >UG< IncType changed to 415V 0444,011
 S >IC< S.FIGHT (NO WEAPONS) 044400
 S >IC< S.VERBAL FIGHT Y 044411
 S Inc# 10 Sheriff Inc TYPE Changed by 011, 0444,011
 S Prev Inc Type = 415 , New Inc Type = 415V 0444,011

--DISPATCHER REMARKS--

S RP ETA DRIVING TIME FROM PVILLE REQ T25 AT PROPERTY DIRECTLY	181010/044402/DP011
S ACROSS FROM SUNNYSIDE SCHOOL WHERE BEE EQUIPMENT IS KEPT /	181010/044402/DP011
S RP RECD T21 FROM BRO-SETH BJORKMAN [REDACTED] WHO LIVES	181010/044402/DP011
S ONSITE IN TRAILER, ADVSD COOWNER OF PROPERTY-JOSEPH LANGSTON	181010/044402/DP011

S JUST ARRIVED AND IS ANGRY, THREATENING FAMILY AND DAMAGING
S EQUIPMENT / JOSEPH WAS JUST RELEASED FROM JAIL ON FRIDAY /
S RP REQ T17 W BRO IF HE CAN BE LOCATED, POSSIBLY HIDING IN
S ORCHARDS
S INC# 10 SHERIFF INC TYPE CHANGED BY 011,
S 200 COPIED
S LANGSTON, JOSEPH 10 25 73 C32F 1322276 HS11379(A)
S PC1170.12(A),-(D) PC667.5(B)
S PC667.5(B) PC667.5(B)
S PC1203.073(B),(2) PC667(B) THROUGH
S (1) HS11378 PC1170.12(A),-(D)
S PC667.5(B) BENCH WARRANT: FTC WITH PRETRIAL RELEASE
S BAIL:$5000.0 PORTERVILLE DKT# PCF366509
S LANGSTON CLR SRF / SERVED CIVIL HARASSMENT ORDER PPN-GARY
S NELSON SR AND JR AT 21705 A196
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S REG VALID FROM: 08/31/18 TO 08/31/19 LIC#:77606F1 YRMD:11
S MAKE:FORD BTM :4C VIN :1FTFX1CF7BKE18218 R/O :GOOD SCOTT
S KELLY, 3020 RUDDER AVE CITY:TULARE C.C.:54 ZIP#:93274
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S 20C ADV SUBJ HIDING IN THE TRAILER RIGHT NOW
S LANGSTON - JAIL MNGMT SHOWS MULTIPLE FLAGS FOR 5150 AND
S NON-COMPLIANCE, PREVIOUS ARRESTS FOR 148 59PC AND 2800.2VC
S 20B ADV ONE AT TASER POINT UNDER THE RESD
S 20A ADV 50 FT UNDER TRAILER REFUSING TO COME OUT
S GOOD SCOTT 081869 C30 WPC CO PRO FOR 273.5 NO TERMS LISTED
S ADDED LATE 2882 ADV HE HAS A PEPPER BALL GUN
S 689 OUT W/UNITS
S 2882 ADV C4 STILL BARICADED PEPPER BALL HAD NO EFFECT - 689
S HAS K-9 ON LONG LEAD
S 689 ADV HE CHOKED MY DOG OUT
S 20B IS 20 FT AWAY FROM SUBJ ON THE SOUTH
S 30B ADV T23
S 2882 ADV STILL C4 REFUSING TO COME OUT - FIGHTING THE K-9 -
S PEPPER BALL AND PEPPER SPRAY HAVE NO EFFECT
S 2882 ADV SUBJ IN CUSTODY
S 2882 ADV NEG ON MEDICAL HE WILL BE TRASPORTED
S 20B ADV 76 SVH FOR MEDICAL CLEARANCE W/95
S 20C ADV HE WILL BE FOLLOWING 20B
S 689 ADV 76 SVH
S 20A REQ C#
S 2882 ADV 76 SVH
S WARRANT CONFIRMED
S 20B ADV UNITS T23 AT SVH
S 20A2 ADV T76 200
S 689 - C# K9 BITE

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181010/053606/SS007
181010/054056/DP012
181010/060135/DP001
181010/062500/DP012

Call Unit History Log:

Additional Info:

Wrecker Requested:

Coroner Requested:

NCIC Name.....:

NCIC Licence No:

NCIC Hit:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FORM IN AGREEMENT WITH PENAL CODE 293 & 964

SUSPECT NAME SEE BELOW	CASE #
LOCATION OF CRIME 21729 A196 AV SM, STRATHMORE	18-00001512

- () P.C. 964 Requires that personal information of victims and witnesses not be included in the Police Report. (I.e.) Address - Phone Number - Drivers License Numbers - California Identification Numbers - Social Security Number - Date of Birth - Place of Employment - Employee Identification Number - Mothers Maiden Name - Demand Deposit Account - Savings Account Number - Checking Account Number - Credit Card Number - Any Other Identifying Information.
- (X) P.C. 293 Any Law Enforcement Agency who receives a report from any person, alleging that person making the report has been the victim of a sex offence, shall inform that person that his or her name will become a matter of public record unless he or she requests that it not become a matter of public record, pursuant to Section 6254 of the Government Code.
Specific Crimes included in these sections are Penal Code Sections : 220, 261, 262, 264.1, 273a, 273d, 273.5, 286,288, 288a, 289, 422.6, 422.7, 422.75, and 646.9

NAME LANGSTON, JOSEPH		CODE (I.e. VI) S1		<input type="checkbox"/> Victim elected to keep "Name" Confidential .			
HOME ADDRESS				HOME PHONE			
EMPLOYER / SCHOOL		EMPLOYER / SCHOOL ADDRESS		EMPLOYER / SCHOOL PHONE			
DATE OF BIRTH 10/25/1973	AGE 044	RACE W	SEX M	HEIGHT 6'00"	WEIGHT 220	HAIR COLOR BRO	EYE COLOR HAZ
DRIVER'S LICENSE OR IDENTIFICATION #		STATE CA		SOCIAL SECURITY #			
CHECKING ACCOUNT #		SAVINGS ACCOUNT #		CREDIT CARD # 1		CREDIT CARD # 2	
MISCELLANEOUS							

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (i.e. credit cards, ect.)	

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A18-1512

To: Chris Hughes, Chief of Police Date: December 20th, 2018
From: Ryan Heinks, Lieutenant, Operations Division
Subject: Use of Force

A handwritten signature in blue ink, followed by the number "#683" and the date "4/5/19".

INVOLVED PERSONNEL:

Eddie Alcantar, Sergeant, #689

SUSPECT:

Joseph LANGSTON, HMA, DOB 10-25-7

SUMMARY:

On 10/10/18 at approximately 0500 hours, the Tulare County Sheriff's Department requested a Lindsay PD K9 unit to assist in apprehending a subject with a felony warrant. The suspect, Joseph LANGSTON, was advised to be hiding under a trailer and was refusing to come out. Dispatch advised that LANGSTON had arrived on the property and was threatening family members as well as damaging property at the residence. A records check showed LANGSTON had active felony warrants and prior arrests for resisting arrest with force.

Sgt. Eddie Alcantar was working on shift and responded to 21729 Ave 196, Strathmore to assist TCSO Deputies. Upon arrival, Sgt. Alcantar was advised that deputies had attempted to use a less-lethal Pepperball gun to gain compliance from LANGSTON to surrender, however the Pepperball gun was ineffective. Sgt. Alcantar went to the trailer and ordered LANGSTON to come out or he would deploy a police K9, however LANGSTON refused to comply. Sgt. Alcantar then retrieved his partner Kris and again gave an announcement that the police K9 would be deployed if LANGSTON did not come out. LANGSTON replied that he was not coming out and that he would fight the dog.

After giving LANGSTON several minutes to comply with no effect, Sgt. Alcantar placed his partner on a 15 foot lead and then deployed him under the trailer. LANGSTON grabbed the police K9 by the neck area and began to choke the dog. Sgt. Alcantar began to pull on the K9 lead and call his partner back to him. The K9 was then deployed again towards LANGSTON. LANGSTON again tried to assault the police K9.

Sgt. Alcantar then got under the trailer and ordered Kris to let go of LANGSTON. LANGSTON was taken into custody by TCSO Deputies and transported to Sierra View District Hospital for evaluation. LANGSTON was treated for several puncture marks on his arms by medical staff, refer to attached photos.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Based on the circumstances of the case, I believe the use of force in this incident was within department policy and compliant with case law. LANGSTON had active felony warrants and had prior arrests for violently resisting law enforcement. LANGSTON made threatening statement towards family members at the trailer and other less-lethal options had failed prior to deploying the police K9.

CASE STATUS:

Case closed.